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Filed: November 20, 2001

For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE

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Group Art Unit: 2827

Examiner: A. Chambliss

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- No additional fee is required.

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SMALL ENTITY	
Rate	Additional Fee
x 9	\$
x 42	\$
+ 140	\$
Total	\$

OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
Rate	Additional Fee
x 18	\$ 0
x 84	\$ 0
+ 280	\$ 0
Total	\$ 0

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May 5, 2003

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 4, 2003,
please amend the above application as follows.

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IN THE TITLE

Change the title to --SEMICONDUCTOR UTILIZING GROOVES IN LEAD AND TAB PORTIONS OF LEAD FRAME TO PREVENT PEEL OFF BETWEEN THE LEAD FRAME AND THE RESIN--.